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1. GROUP B MET NOV. 9 WITH LE GUAY AND SYLLA OF SECRETARIAT, AT LATTER'S INITIATIVE, TO RECEIVE SECRETARIAT'S PROPOSALS AND THINKING RE PREPARATIONS FOR UNIDO SECOND GENERAL CONFERENCE (UNDIO-11). LE GUAY BEGAN MEETING BY OUTLINING NATURE OF SECRETARIAT PROPOSALS FOR DOCUMENTATION AND SECRETARIAT'S VIEWS RE DECISIONS NEEDED FROM PC-111 RE DOCUMENTATION AND SUBSTANTIVE INTER-GOVERNMENTAL PREPARATIONS. WHEN HE OPENED MEETING FOR QUESTIONS AND COMMENT, BULK OF GROUP'S B'S PARTICIPATION CAME FROM BRITS AND FRG, LATTER CLAIMING TO SPEAK WITHOUT INSTRUCTIONS.

2. AT OUTSET OF MEETING SECRETARIAT DISTRIBUTED TEXT OF OPERATIVE PARAS 2 AND 3 OF DRAFT RESOLUTION L/1293/REV. 1, WHICH ACCORDING SYLLA HAD BEEN UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED BY SECOND COMMITTEE PREVIOUS DAY AT NEW YORK.

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DURING DISCUSSION LE GUAY SUGGESTED TEXT MAY HAVE

EFFECT OF MODIFYING UNIDO-11 PROVISIONAL AGENDA ADOPTED AT IDB-V11 AND HAVE CONSEQUENTIAL IMPLICATIONS FOR DOCUMENTATION. SINCE WE WERE UNINFORMED RE VOTE OR POSITION FINALLY TAKEN BY US DEL (ALTHOUGH BRITS TOLD US US HAD ENTERED "RESERVATION"), WE COULD ONLY ARGUE THAT IT TOO SOON AFTER RESOLUTION'S PASSAGE TO COMMENT MEANINGFULLY.

3. ONLY OTHER NEW INFO ON DOCUMENTATION TO EMERGE FROM LE GUAY PRESENTATION, EXCEPT AS CONTAINED IN ID/B/C.3/11 (REF D) AND INFORMAL PAPER (REF B), WAS EXPLANATION THAT BACKGROUND PAPERS BEING COMMISSIONED FOR SUBJECTS CITED IN ID/B/C.3/11 WOULD BE USED AS BASIS FOR NINE "SHORT ISSUE PAPERS" (ONE PER SUBJECT) OF NOT MORE THAN 10 PAGES EACH. ACCORDING PRESENT SECRETARIAT PLANS, ONLY ISSUE PAPERS WOULD RECEIVE GENERAL DISTRIBUTION. RE ASSERTION OF BUDGETARY INSUFFICIENCY MADE LAST PARA OF ID/B/C.3/11 (REF C), LE GUAY EXPLAINED BUDGET ADEQUATE FOR PREPARATION OF BACKGROUND PAPERS, BUT EXISTING PROFESSIONAL STAFF INADEQUATE TO DO SPEEDY, BALANCED JOB OF PULLING TOGETHER ISSUE PAPERS. MOREOVER, SECRETARIAT HAD ENVISAGED EXPERTS' MEETINGS ON DOCUMENT SUBJECT AREAS, PARTICULARLY WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF INDUSTRIAL PRIVATE SECTOR. HE CONCEDED BRITISH ARGUMENT THAT DECISION RE SUFFICIENCY OF FUNDS WOULD HAVE TO BE TAKEN AT UNGA AND UNDERTOOK DO BEST HE COULD WITH RESOURCES AVAILBELE.

4. WITH BRITS AND FRG CARRYING BALL, FOLLOWING TIME-TABLE FOR DOCUMENTATION EMERGED: PC-111 WOULD TAKE NECESSARY DECISIONS OF NATURE AND SCOPE OF DOCUMENTATION; PC-IV AND IDB-V111 WOULD RECEIVE AT LEAST SEMI-FINAL DRAFTS OF ISSUES PAPERS FOR EXAMINATION RE ADEQUACY OF PRESENTATION (BRITS WANTED NO SUBSTANTIVE DEBATE AT THOSE MEETINGS, FRG PREPARED TO UNDERTAKE PRELIMINARY SUBSTANTIVE EXCHANGE); PC-V WOULD HAVE RECEIVED FINAL ISSUES PAPERS AND MIGHT BEGIN PROCESS OF SUBSTANTIVE NEGOTIATION OF CONSEQUENTIAL DRAFT DECLARATION AND/OR RESOLUTIONS.

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5. AS DISCUSSION BEGAN BOG DOWN OVER TIMING OF POSSIBLE FORMAL INTER-SESSIONAL MECHANISM TO CONSIDER DRAFT PROPOSALS FOR SUBMISSION TO UNIDO-11, WE SUGGESTED THAT PC-111 WOULD HAVE ENOUGH TO DO RE DOCUMENTATION AND THAT NO DECISIONS RE SUCH MECHANISMS NECESSARY (OR USEFUL) BEFORE WE HAVE RESULTS OF DOCUMENTATION EFFORT BEFORE US, I.E., NOT BEFORE PC-IV/IDB-V111. THIS DREW GENERAL NODDING OF HEADS.

6. RESULTS OF SECRETARIAT'S MEETINGS WITH OTHER
GROUPS NOT YET AVAILABLE.

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